BLAINE PLUCKS UP HEART. QUITE A DIFFERENT DESPATCH FROM

THAT FIRST ONE TO GARFIELD. After a Warm Telegraphic Correspondence with the Successors of Z. Chandler, he New Claims the Flection of his Candidate as Chardler Falsely Claimed a Majority for Hayes in Louislana in November, 1876. AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 16 .- Whatever be the real facts as to the election of Plaisted or Davis, the action of Republican county and town officials in holding back the returns gives foundalion for the charge that the Republicans mean to seat Davis as Governor by fair means or foul. They claim that returns from all but 26 towns give Davis a plurality of 246. Allowing these towns the same vote as last year, Davis would have a plurality of 146. The Republican papers to-morrow will claim Davis's election, and will deprecate any doctoring of returns. This is just what the Democrats, however, claim is being one. The Augusta Standard will say editorial-

ly that the Republican managers are holding back the correct returns either to manipulate them or weaken the effect of their crushing defeat. Private advices at Augusta from 425 towns give Davis as than 70 plurality. The towns to be heard from gave last year a Fusion majority of 120. Gen. Plaisted says he will not be counted out. but will take his seat if he has but one majority. The Constitutional amendments are adopted. making a plurality elect the Governor. The Governor and Council must, within thirty days, count the vote on the Consti-intional Amendments. The vote for State officers is to be counted by the Legislature at its meeting next winter, and the Republican Legislature will doubtless declare that the amendments, already declared adopted by the present Republican Governor and Counsil, will be operative from their adoption, and will hold good for the election just held. Blaine's despairing cry to Garfield, conceding the election of Plaisted, seems to have been

far less acute than was expected of him. Tofar less acute than was expected of him. Today he repents of it. He has received great
guantities of telegrams from Republicans in all
parts of the country. A private despatch
received here says that Conkling, Cornell,
and Jewell were in close consultation
in New York to-day, and that they
were in constant communication with the Republican managers here. The Republicans
have the entire machinery for counting, and the
same is desperate. But they must make the majority for Davis a small one at best, and the fact
remains that there has been a less of nearly
15,000 Republican votes since the election for
Governor in the Presidential contest of 1876.
RANGOR, Me. Sept. 16.—Evidence is accumulating that the Republican managers are manipulating returns to show a plurality for Davis. Measures will be taken to obtain copies of
the records in each town and city, and if the result shows that a plurality of the votes as cast
were for Gen. Plaisted, he will be inaugurated
Governor. The opinion is becoming general
among the Demecrats here that a repetition on
a small scale of the fraud of 1876 is under way
in this State, and the public excitement is rising to a high pitch. James G. Blaine, it is freeived additional this morning, give Davis 193
and Plaisted 191; last year, Davis, 136; Smith,
152; and Garcelon, 51. Republican majority 2
this year; against a Fusion majority of 67 last
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Augusta, Me., Sept. 16.—Senator Blaine sent the following telegram this afternoon:

To Gen. Junes A. Garfiehl, Manter, Ohio.

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Indications now point unmistakably to the election of Gov. Davis. If we could be assured of an honest vote and an honest return in the French plantations of Aroustock County, every possibility of doubt could be removed. Those plantations have been hotbeds of bemorratic fraud for thirty vears nast. We have not yet received their returns. The total vote for Gov. Davis will reach nearly, if not quite, 74,000. Only twice in the history of Maine has the votes exceeded 75,000, and never reached 76,000. The average annual vote for the past ten years has been little more than 80,000. On people are in spinoid heart and courage, and will generate the first ten years has been little more than 80,000. On the discovered fraud of the first ten years has been little more than 80,000. On the twice heart and courage, and will be not the first ten years has been little more than 80,000. On the time Sovember flaint with the advantage of a popular majority in the contest of Monday last. J. G. BLAIRE.

AT THE HEADQUARTERS. Chairman Barnum Confident that Florida

Tactles will not Avail in Maine The Maine election is still the topic in the headquarters of both political parties. Col. George W. Hooker, Assistant Secretary of the Republican National Committee, claimed last evening that Mr. Davis, the Republican candidate for Governor, is elected. The Colonel showed two despatches to substantiate his claim. One is addressed to him, and is as fol-

George W. Toder: On the Prench towns on northern sorder overwhelm us by illegal votes. Official returns all the received fron them. We have game seough other towns to overcome their majorities of last year, and several hundred to spare by expertestimates.

Secretary Republican State Committee The other despatch was received at 7 o'clock by ex-Governor Jewell, and is as follows:

Our Superintendent in Portland, who has charge of tablecting the returns, to supin as follows: The Resublicans have a large of control in the Legislature and county offices. The late t figures of Press Agent Berry video figures are the outstanding. county offices. The last it from sof Press Agent Berry, whose figures are the only new pitable ones until official count, show only thrive eight lowers to Bear from. It count, show only thrive eight lowers to Bear from It is a superintendent of the last of t

The members of the Democratic National Committee are confident that the complete returns will snow that Gen. Plaisted is elected Governor. Early in the day they received the following despatch from Portland: Three hundred and saxis-four towns give Plaisted \$5.985. Davis, 67,828. Republican majority, 1,838. Same Lowns in 1876 gave: Operation, 50,382; Republican 70,497; Republican majority, 15,115. Republican less 13,277. The 125 towns not reported gave Democratic majority in 1870. There is no doubt of Plaisted's election. The context for Congress between Phillibrick, Democratic, and Lindsley, Republican in the Third District, is close and doubting.

Despatches received later led the National committee to send the following answer to numerous to send the following answer to try for news from Maine:

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Naw York, Sept. 16.

F Our latest information is to the effect that Plaisted has a clear imports of somewhere from 560 to 1.550. No amount of cheating, which it is apparent the Republicans are trying to do, can effect this result. Everything labeling done to watch their and defeat fraid on their part.

W. H. Barnuk, Chairman. is being done to watch them and hereat traud on their part.

Gen. Charles Roberts of Michigan, who has been speaking in Maine, visited the Democratic National Committee's rooms has evening. He said: "The Republicans were levish in the expenditure of money. Their resources were limitless. At Newport and other piaces they offered Democrats, whom they could not have up to vote for the Republican caodidates, railroad passes to visit friends living in other flates, and went so far as to hand out money for their expenses during the trip. I spent sunday in Bangor. The Republicans flooded the city with money, but they were compelled to tase it among their own people to a great dogree to hold them. With an honest count Gen. Anderson, our candidate for Congress in the First District, was elected by a handsome majority, notwithstanding that many employees were compelled to vote for Reed against their own wishes and inclinations. Gen. Hancock is stronger in Maine than the Union State ticket was. Many old soldiers told me that they would certainly vote for Gen.

Hancock as against Gen. Garfield, while they would vote for Davis as against Plaisted. Many well-informed and liberal-minded Republicans told me that they have given up all hope of Garfield's election; that he is a weak candidate, and that his nomination was a fatal error."

Ex-Senator Barnum received the following telegram from William C. Gondy, member of the National Committee from Illinois, and other prominent Democrata in Chicago, last evening:

W. H. Barnum, Chrismon:

VIRGINIA'S READJUSTERS.

They Agree to Let the People Decide the Question of a Common Electoral Ticket. RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 16.-Nothing of an official character has yet been promulgated in relation to the movement for healing the differences between the opposition factions of the affect national issues. It is generally known, however, that the plan of compromise submittted last night by the regular Conservative Committee to that of the Readjusters provides for the formation of a mixed electoral ticket, to be made up of five of the Conservative electors and five of the Readjuster electors, the eleventh elector to be named by the National Democratio Committee, or chosen by lot. The Readjusters' Committee remained in session until 5 o'clock this morning. The greater part of the session was spent in a general interchange of views on party matters and expressions as to what was thought by the people of the proposed compromise. The pian of the Conservative Committee, which had been lying before the Beadjuster Committee all night, was not opened until half past 3 o'clock, when it was read and briefly considered. Finally it was decided to reject the plan, and a sub-committee was appointed to prepare a reply. The Beadjusters are now again in session discussing the matter. One subject which is being considered is whether the Beadjusters shall embody in their raply a plan of compromise of their own. One plan which it is known they have discussed is to submit the two Hancock electron tickets to the people at a primary election some time in October, and whichever ticket shall receive the highest popular vota, that ticket shall be recognized as the ticket to be voted for at the Presidential election.

The Readjusters' Committee have just decided upon their reply. They reject the plan proposed by the Conservative Committee, not out of any indisposition to unite the supportera of Hancock and English, but out of the belief that the proposed plan is not calculated to accomplish the object sought; yet, in consideration of apprehensions which exist outside that a division of the party may result in the loss to the Democracy of the electoral vote of Virginia, which apprehensions are not shared by the Readjusters, they propose that the electoral ticket question be settled by a primary election, to be held on Oct. 16, at which all persons shall be allowed to vote who pledge themselves to vote for Hancock and English. The reply will be submitted to the Conservative Committee this evening. Committee remained in session until 5 o'clock this morning. The greater part of the

REPUBLICANS QUARRELLING.

A Wordy Encounter Between Chairman Stainsby and Dr. Makk of Newark. NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 16 .- An exciting scene is reported to have taken place to-day in the barroom of Lehman's Hotel, in Market street, in which ex-Alderman Stainsby, who is President of the Board of Trustees of St. Paul's M. E. Church and Chairman of the Republican Central Committee, and Dr. Makk were the principal actors. Dr. Makk was with some friends, when Mr. Stainsby entered and said: "I am pleased to learn you are going to address a German meeting to-night." "I do not want this year; against a Fusion majority of 67 last year.

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 16.—Twenty-three additional towns in Aroostook show the following result: Davis, 1,345; Plaisted, 1,124; Nye, 2; seattering 12. In the same towns last year Davis had 1,228, Smith 851, and Garcelon 373. Davis gains over all in these towns nine votes. There are still twenty-eight towns and plantations in Aroostook to be heard from.

PONTIAND, Me., Sept. 16.—Fifteen additional towns in Pronobscot County give Davis 326 and Plaisted 641; last year, Davis 307 and Smith 522.

Ten additional towns in Aroostook give Davis 309, Plaisted 254, scattering 13. a Republican majority of 42. Last year Davis had 214, Smith 181, and Garcelon 70. a Fusion majority of 37. Later.—Four hundred and sixty towns give Davis 71,894, and Plaisted 71,019; Davis's plurality, 884; acattering, 336. The same towns last year gave Davis 67,805; Smith, 47,129; and Garcelon, 20,769; a Fusion plurality of 83; scattering, 81.

Deduct Fusionist plurality to come from the Republican plurality on hand, and Davis will have 276 plurality, if the rest comes in as last year.

There are only thirty-eight towns to hear from, with an aggregate vote of 3,305. Blue Hill brings in a further Republican gain of 37. Augusta, Me., Sept. 16.—Senator Blaine sont the following telegram this afternoon:

Defen. June 4. Gardehl, Memor. Other. any of your friendship," was the reply, "be-

Republican party, but you can't play it on me, Mr. Stainsby."
Dr. Makk was formerly editor of the Republican German paper here, but having quarrelled with the proprietor, he, with others, started an opposition paper. A few weeks ago be visited the West to stump for the Republicans in Indians and Ohio, and, during his absence, his own paper renounced Republicanism and came out for Hancock and English.

FIVE HUNDRED BOATS DELAYED While Canal Superintendent Butcher Delly

Canal boatmen are complaining of delays on the Erie Canal. Jacob Hireth of the canal boat S. D. Hoper, Wm. Henderson of the Frank H. Allen, and George F. Stockett of the Oliver Crothers, say, and they are willing to swear to what they say, that on Saturday last at least 500 boats were delayed a day and a half near Canajoharie, owing to the desire of Canal Superintendent Silas B. Dutcher to praise the Republican candidates at a Republican meeting in Canajobarie rather than go to Spraker's Basin lock, three milestaway, and superintend the removal of a sunken canal boat. The boat, loaded with \$,000 bushels of corn, struck the dock, ran her nose up on the towpath, and sank across the canal. Before it was moved out of the way there was aline of boats seven miles in length on the west side, and on the east side there was a line three miles in length. While waiting for the Superintendent to arrive from Albany and remove the sunken boat, a number of the boatmen went to Canajoharle to attend what they thought was a Democratic meeting. But one of the first men to mount a small table, to speak, was Canal Superintendent Dutcher. "Fellow citizens," he said. "I did not expect to speak to you to-night, but the gentleman who was announced to speak cannot be here, and I will speak in his place."

"Mr. Dutcher," a bronzad boatman sung out.
"This is not the place for you. You ought to Basin lock, three mileslaway, and superintend

"This is not the place for you. You ought to be at Spraker's Basin, getting out that sunken be a coreast a boat.

But Canal Superintendent Dutcher delivered his speech, and the boatmen waited for him to attend to his duties. He promised to send a man to move the boats along. A man did go, but the boatmen say they moved only a quarter of a mile and then stopped again until noon the next day.

COMMITTEES IN CONFERENCE.

Progress Toward a Union of the Democratic

The Irving Hall Democrats' committee appointed to confer with other Democratic organizations in relation to a union on county nominations met in conference last evening committees from the Nehrbas German Demoratic organization and the German organiza craite organization and the German organiza-tion controlled by Judge Otterbourg and Cor-oner Ellinger. The Nehrbas party was repre-sented by Dr. August Frech, Charles E. Wendt, Louis C. Goebel, Henry Autenreith, and Wil-liam F. Pitschke. Judge Otterbourg, Coroner Ellinger, George Kuster, Lewis Schmidt, and John A. Grote represented the other organiza-tion.

The Germans said that they came to the con-The Germans said that they came to the conference not to demand any offices or places on any ticket. They were Democrats and wished to be represented in any conference the object of which was the formation of a basis of a union of the Democracy of this city on county and local nominations.

Maurice J. Power and other members of the Irving Hall committee rapiled that their committee was giad to have learned the wishes of the German Democrats, who had been the auxiliaries of the Irving Hall party in past elections. The committee would present the German's views and wishes to the Tammany committee at to-day's conference.

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The Irving Hall committee will meet the German Democratic committee again to-morrow afternoon.

BURIED IN POTTER'S FIELD. THE FATE OF THE BARON DE REIF.

FENBERG OF BRUSSELS. Leaving Affluence at Home to Squander

Fortune in America-Reduced to Beggary and Resorting to Crime-Dying in Prison. Under the aliases of Henry Howard and Louis de Laurie, a convicted burglar died from phthisis, in the Penitentiary Hospital on Blackwell's Island Sent 3 1880. He was convicted in the Court of Special Sessions and sentenced to six months' imprisonment on June 11, 1880, and had served three months of his term when he died. Only one person in the city was acquainted with the facts concerning the man's early career. This was his wife. He had parted from her and disappeared, and the first knowledge she had of his whereabouts was gained in reading the notice of his death. This woman, who is in the most destitute circumstances, called upon Mr. Henry Mali, the Belgian Consul, a few days ago and related a story that seemed at the time a romance, but which has since been verified by She told the Consul that the body now inter-

red in Potter's Field was that of the Baron Her-man de Reiffenberg, a native of Brussels, Belglum. Fifteen years ago he came to this country with plenty of money, leaving large estates behind him. He was then 33 years of age, handsome in appearance, thoroughly educated, and speaking several languages. His acquaintance was prized on account of his generous qualities. For three years he enjoyed himself without restraint, receiving stipulated amounts from his home and squandering them as they were received. It was on the base are whom he acquisitated of the contract when he acquisitated at last in this city, living in a hotel up town. A year afterward a son was preserving the name of Louis de Laurie, making only his wife the confident of his history. Soon after the marriage the Baron is remitted to make the confident of his history. Soon after the marriage the Baron is sources were exhausted. The Baron produced a situation as correspondent in languages, which he held for some time, home less regularly, and in a short time lost his position through neeligence and drink. Then followed a protracted spree, that broke the mercy of the charitable. This was three years aco. He fell lower yet, and lived in the streets, some mess on the streets, some mess on the streets, some should be the streets of the Baislan Relief Association, for assistance. Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association, for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association, for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association, for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baislan Relief Association for assistance, Mr. de Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baisland for the Baron of the street, Brackeleer of 66 Warren street, President of the Baisland for the Baron of the street, Brackeleer of a dingry sharty at 50 country knows that the week batch, and so relief the street, and the same time promised all the assistance in the country of the street, and the same time promised all the assistance in the cou then that he made the acquaintance of Annie Sween, whom he married. He and she journeyed about the country for some time, and finally settled at last in this city, living in a

CAPT. RYAN'S PRECINCT.

Mr. Conover's Alarming Complaint-What

Capt. Ryan Says in his Defence. L. V. Conover of Conover & Co., iron founders at 336, 338, and 340 East Twenty-ninth street, cailed at the Police Central Office yesterday for the purpose of soliciting better police protection for the property holders of the Twenty-first Ward. He told Inspector Murray. in whose district the ward is that, thefts and deeds of violence were daily committed in his neighborhood and that their perpetrators were seldom brought to justice. The local police were frequently not strong enough to make any arrests, and if they succeeded in arresting the law breakers they were not sustained in the courts, and their prisoners escaped conviction. To illustrate the dread which the residents of the ward have for thieves. Mr. Conover said that when he and several neighboring property holders, about a year ago, raised a purse of \$200 to insure the conviction of one. Therry Eye," who had been arrested by Maron, they bound themselves by a solemn agreement not to divulge any names for lear of the vengeance of "Cherry Eyes" confederates. The names of the subscribers to this purse were: John Mathews and Carl Schultz, the mineral water manufacturers: Hester Bros., Manhattan Brass Works; Wm. Munzer, and L. Y. Conover.

Acting on the information received from Mr. Conover and other sources, Inspector Murray ordered Capt. Ryan, who is responsible for the good order of the Twenty-first Ward, to show why the above described condition of things existed. arrests, and if they succeeded in arresting the

why the above described condition of things existed.

Capt. Ryan made a report, in which he says:

"There is no gang of thieves on the rocks in Fortieth street, near First avenue. I broke up that gang last April, and sent seven of them to the Island for six months each. * First avenue is quiet and orderly, and safe for pedestrians to pass through at any time during the day or night. I it we had no cases of felonious assaults since I have been in command of the Thirty-fifth street police. In general, the precinct is quiet and orderly, and no complaint has been made at the station for months past. The precinct was never in better order or safer than at the present time."

BREAKING JAIL.

Three Prisoners Escape by Digging Through the Wall at Riverhead.

There was great excitement in Riverhead. I. I., yesterday morning when it became known that in the night three prisoners had escaped from the dilapidated jail in that place. The escaped prisoners were John Higgins, who was awaiting trial on the charge of mur dering Miles Morris at Sag Harbor on the night of the 20th of July last; Barney Gallagher, awaiting trial for burglary, and William Cuffy Shinnecock Indian, also awaiting trial for burglary. About a month ago Cuffy and Gallagher very nearly succeeded in escaping by tunnelling through their cell to the outer walt. The only tools they had were a poker and a pewter spoon. The escape on Westneday night was mete by the same means. The three men were confined in one cell. The alarm was given by one of the prisoners in an adjoining cell, but the furifives had got a good start before the ailor and his denuties arrived. given by one of the prisoners in an adjoining cell, but the fugitives had got a good start before the jailor and his deputies arrived.

The insecure state of the jail has been much commented upon, and the attention of the nathorities was frequently called to it. Contracts for the building of a new jail ware awarded last week by the Board of Supervisors.

A despatch from Eiverbead last evening says that Cuffy was caught yesserday afternoon near Mastic, and returned to the jail.

Bend Or's Mishap.

London, Sept. 16 .- The Times, referring to the race for the St. Leger stakes yesterday, says: "The Duke of Westminster's Bend Or was struck by Lord Red-tord's Zealot, and the former's fellock was rather badly out, but the general opinion is that he was beaten at the time of the mishan. At anorting writers concur that the accident did not affect the result of the race."

HEARING THE NEWS PROM MAINE. The First of a Series of Meetings of the Young Men's Democratic Club.

Chickering Hall was filled last evening by an assembly called to a mass meeting by the Young Men's Democratic Club. Among those present were Mayor Cooper, C. Godfrey Gunther, Charles F. MacLean, William C. Whitney, ex-Judge Ingersoll, William Van Wyck, Lidridge Gerry, Perry Belmont, Justice Kilbreth, Edward Patterson, and Franklin Edson. On the stage were portraits of Hancock and English. L. G. Garrettson, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, introduced Charity Commissioner Townsend Cox. the President of the club, as the presiding officer. Mr. Cox, on taking the chair, explained that the meeting was the commencement of meetings to be held in the hall until the election of Hancock and English. The reason why the meeting was called so early in the campaign was the good news from Malne. "But it looks," he said, "as if they would try to count us out. If they do it will do us good. They will only be trying their old tricks over agin, and the people will roll up such a majority in November that they will not be able to count us out."

Commissioner E. P. Wheeler of the Board of Education was the first speaker. He said that it was a jubilation meeting, and that judging from the news from Maine, the day of victory is not far from its dawn; and that if werk is done as well as in Maine, Illinois, California, Nevada, and Pennsylvania will be carried by the Democrats. He said that there is no instance of a November majority being smaller than a September or October majority. Then the speaker reviewed the issues of the campaign like a lawyer reading the evidence of Garfield's connection with the fraud of 1876 from his own testimony, and Arthur's connection with the mismanagement of the Custom House from Sherman's and Hayes's letters. Then he took up Gen. Hancock's services during and after the war, and, summing up the case, lett it to the audience as a jury to decide, Judging from the applause, the verilict was in favor of Hancock and English. One of his points was, referring to the charge that the Democratic party does not intend to protect American industry means that whereas in 1860 75 per cent, of the trade of this port was done in American ships, in 1880 it is only 25 per cent., and that there is not a steamship flying the American flag sailing from the stage while trying their old tricks over agin, and the peo-

SUMMART. Lady Foxey

SUMMARY.

MAUD S. AT CHICAGO. She Almost, but Not Oulte, Bents her Record

CHICAGO, Sept. 16 .- There was a large attendance at the Jockey Club grounds this afternoon to witness the attempt of Maud S. to beatthe record of 2:11%. The weather was pleasant, but there was a strong east wind. The first event was the 2:30 trot. Calamus was a strong favorite, and took the three heats easily; Mary Miller second, and J. W. Thomas third. Time, 2:27%, 2:27%,

The second trot for 2:50 class was won by Kate Sprague, with Donald second, Almo and

Rate Sprague, with Donald second. Almo and Misery distanced. Time—2:32%, 2:28%, 2:26%, 2:24.

The appearance of Maud S, on the track to trot against time for \$2,500 was a signal for hearty applause. Her first heart was merely made to heat her up, and as she left her feet several times, it was only made in 2:26%.

The first quarter of her second heat was made steady in 33% seconds, and then she was cut toose for her best speed, making the half mile in 1:04%. Her driver sped her at an undiminished gait to the three-quarter pole, which was reached in 1:36%. Coming home there was scarcely less excitement than when the record was lowered in the summer meeting, for it seemed certain that she would make the mile in 2:11 at least; but she left her feet when but a few yards from the wire, and the heat was spoiled. However, the watches did not seem to agree, those outside of the stand making her time 2:10% to 2:11, while the time announced by the judges was 2:11%.

Maud S, will be exhibited on the track on Saturday, and then may possibly be sent for a test mile. All the preminent horsemen here will, on the canclusion of the meeting, go to Louisville and Cincinnati.

Changes by the Maryland Jockey Club.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16.-The managers of the Maryland Jockey Club have determined to lower the tariff at Pinlico at the coming fall meeting. Admission to netead of \$1, as formerly, and the gates formerly around the grounds will be abolished. Admission for ladies to the grand stand will be 50 cents, the price formerly charged for more entrance to the grounds (fentlemen will be charged \$1.50 a day for the grand stand and quartercharged \$1.00 a day for the grand stand and quarterstretch, instead of \$3. The programme for the
fall meeting has been somewhat modified, and a
new wake has been added, which will bring to this
city the beat two-year olds in the courty. I as siyled
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Terms are: One mile, colts 180 pounds, filles and will
ings 97 pounds, \$250 entrance, half oriett, with \$1.00
added by the citizens at Baltimore, \$500 of which will go
to the second here, and the tirid save his stakes. The
nominations close on Oct 1, and among those entered
are the famous cracks Crickmore, Hindoo, and Schine
way. The mile dash for all ages, for which the Merchants' Stakes have been substituted on the first day,
will take the place of the Central Stakes will be run for as the
third race on Thursday. The Compensation mile heats
will be the fourth, and the steeplechase the fire race on
that day.

H. V. SMITH FOR CONGRESS. RENOMINATED BY THE DEMOCRATS

ASSEMBLED IN TRENTON

Enthustasm and Confidence in the Second New Jersey District-Mr. Smith's Record-A Republican Trick that was Exposed. TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 16 .- The Democrats of the Second New Jersey District met here today and nominated Hezekiah V. Smith for Congress. Mr. Smith is the member from this dis-trict. He was elected in 1878 over a strong Republican. The district was Republican four years ago. There has been some little feeling against Mr. Smith on the part of the Greenback men. He was supported by that party two years ago, although he then said that he was a Democrat, and should act with the Democracy on all political matters. His action and that of Dr. Ladd of Maine, in going into the Democratic caucus after Congress assembled, dashed the hopes of such Republicans as desired the Greenback members to make a little party all by themselves, and thus deprive the Democratic party of its majority in Congress. It was this that caused some Greenbackers to oppose the renomination of Mr. Smith. The number of these is believed to be very small, although they have done some pretty violent threatening. Backed by Republican money, they went so far as to nominate one of their number for Congress on Wednesday. But Mr. Smith had the support of the Democratic party. They came up to Trenton zcalous for him, and they seemed to feel confident of victory. It is a good while, they say, since the New Jersey Democrats have been so thoroughly enthusiastic and carneat as they are now. I talked with several of the delegates. They were mostly farmers, for the country is largely agricultural. It takes but a few words to see that they are smarting under the injustice that was done in 1876, and are determined this time that no fraud shall be tolerated. They tell me, too, that the nomination of Garfield has weakened many of their Republican friends. The story of Garfield's Credit Mobilier and De Golyer bribes, and his perjury, is known to every voter in the district, and some of the delegates thought his vote there would be many hundred less than Hayee's.

Mr. Smith was really the only candidate before the Convention. The friends of George O. Vanderbilt, ex-Speaker of the New Jersey House, desired to give him a complimentary vote, and on this necount a ballot was taken. Almost all the delegates from Mercer voted for Mr. Vanderbilt on the informal ballot, but Burlington, Ocean, and Atlantic counties cast their solid vote for Mr. Smith, and Mercer at once moved to make the nomination unanimous.

It was at this point that a number of Republican blackguards tried to break up the Convention. They had sneaked into the hall as delegates, and were not at first noticed. But when the motion to make Mr. Smith's nomination unanimous was made, they voted no, and hissed. It did lock for a moment as though there was a bitter element among the delegates irreconcilably opposed to Mr. Smith; but a Trenton delegate very soon soied out these Republicans and exposed them, and they became instantiy quiet. these is believed to be very small, although they have done some pretty violent threatening.

Republicans and exposed them, and they became instantly quiet.

There was little speaking, and in fact the Convention did its work in less than an hour. Mr. Vanderbilt responded to a call, and spoke of the bright prospects ahead. He said that there could be nothing in the future of politics more certain than that New Jersey will give its mine votes to Hancock, will elect a Democratic Governor, will send a Democrat back to the Senate, and will send to the House of Representatives a Democratic delegation.

FROM ONE PRISON TO ANOTHER.

Lynch's Journey from the New York Peni-tentiary to a Philadelphia Prison.

Thomas Lynch, alias Smith, was sentenced to the penitentiary a year ago for swindling. During his incarceration the Chief of Police of Philadelphia identified him as a party to a street brawl that ended in a murder in that city eighteen months ago. A requisition was obtained, but Lynch at the time being a prisoner, the requisition could not be served. Yesterday morning Lynch's time was up and he was discharged from prison. As he was stepping out Detective Denton of Philadelphia showed him the requisition, and Lynch expressed his willingness to go back to Philadelphia. At the corner of Liberty and Washington streets, while Denton was hurrying toward the ferry, several men sprang out from a saloon, surrounded the Philadelphia detective, and attempted to rescue his prisoner. Detective Denton, firmly holding on to the handeuff around the wrist of his prisoner, drew his revolver and threatened to kill Lynch if hestirred. A policeman, attracted by the throng that had assembled took the detective and his prisoner to the Tombs Police Court. Then Justice Duffy ordered Court Officers Hill and Gardiner to Jersey City. On their way to the ferry the police were again surrounded, but this time the assaliants were frightened off by the veteran policemen, who called them by name in ordering them away. They were recognized as a band of confidence men. They followed the police on the ferryboat. The policemen signaled for assistance, and on the arrival of the boat in her ally a squad of Jersey police met the party, and Lynch was at once escorted with Detective Denton to the cars. showed him the requisition, and Lynch ex-

JERSEY CITY'S HOSPITAL.

The Action of the Board of Finance on the Protest Against its Being Closed.

The Board of Finance of Jersey City, to which the Police Commissioners referred a protest from the physicians attached to the City Hospital against the recent closing of that nstitution, took the subject into consideration at their meeting on Wednesday night. The Finance Committee of the Board of Finance presented a report which was approved by the Board. In the report they say:

"In the opinion of your committee the Board of Finance and Taxation have no power to act in the premises. The protest in question is directed, as it should be to the Board of Police Commissioners. They alone are accountable for the proper and economical distribution of the funds appropriated by this Board for the maintenance of the various/departments under their conirol, which include the City Hospital.

* * Your committee cannot understand why the City Hospital should be closed under the circumstances. The appropriation for hospital purposes was made by this Board so that the Police Board might excend during the year \$15,000, at the rate of \$1,250 per month, and it is impossible for this Board to make any further appropriation for said purpose. And it was understood at the time the appropriation was fixed that with rigid economy it would be sufficient to maintain the hospital for one year.

* Your committee recommend that the protest be returned to the Board of Police Commissioners, together with a copy of this report. "In the opinion of your committee the Board dissioners, together with a copy of this re

Port."
The balance which the Board of Finance says exists in the hospital appropriation, is almost entirely covered by claims that have accrued.

All Hands on Board the Bark Friengh, with

Two Exceptions, 81ck with Yellow Fever. The steamship City of Washington, which arrived in this port last evening from Havana, fell in with an English bark on the 13th inst. in latitude 31° 39', longitude 78° showing signals of distress. She proved to be the Erinagh of Glasgow, from Port de Paix for New York, with logwood. All hands except the Captain and one seaman were rick with yellow fever. Two of the crew had died and were buried at sea. The Captain of the Erinagh asked to be taken in tow, and his ship was brought to this port by the City of Washington. Neither vessel came up from Quarantine last night.

Acquitted of False Marking LONDON, Sept. 16.—The court martial at Gos-port has acquitted Scracent William Marshman, who was accused of false marking at the butte during the re-cent meeting of the National Rifle Association at Wim-blucon."

The Russian Minister of War. London, Sept. 16.—A Berlin despatch to the fible and a Och. Count Miluitie. Russian Minister of War, a about to retire from office on account of a disagreement with the Czarowitch.

London, Sept. 16.—A Berlin despatch to the folesays. The German Government has ordered the application of the French Jesuita who migrated to Alasce-

BERNE, Sopt. 16.—The Swiss National Council ave decided to submit to a popular vote the question of complete revision of the Constitution. What Was He Doing There !

Switzerland's Constitution

Washington, Sapt. 16.—Gen. Raum, Commis-sioner of Internal Revenue, returned last night from Maine, and resumed his duties this morning.

TWENTY-FIVE PLATES OF SOUP.

How Chris. Johnson Won the Champtonshi at the Hoboken Turtle Club's Dinner.

About five hundred persons assembled in the beautiful leafy grove within a hundred fee of Case's roadside inn, on Jerome avenue, near McComb's Dam Bridge, yesterday. The Hoboken Turtle Club's fourth and final breakfast and dinner for the season of 1880 was the attraction that brought them there. In the morning the lovers of turtle steak dined on their favorite dish, and in the afternoon turtle soup was served up. Among the guests were Chris Johnson, Anson B. Taylor, Walter S. Lawrence Capt. Thos. Reeves, T. J. Coe, A. L. Ashman Wm. Van Tassell, T. Patten, J. J. Levey, John

Capt. Thos. Reeves, T. J. Coe, A. L. Ashman, Wm. Van Tassell, T. Patten, J. J. Levey, John Fox, Sesman Lichtenstein, P. Malone, J. Broadman, Capt. John Sloat, Wm. Lamb, J. D. Costor, J. Delgnan, Geo. Martin, Chas, P. McFaddan, Jas. Brooke, Dr. I. I. Hayes, T. H. Fleming, E. Pettinger, T. L. Jones, E. Baisbeck, F. W. Dleckman, and others.

President Nathan A. Chedsey sat at the head of one of the tables, and Mr. A. L. Ashman vesided at the other table. About 200 persons first sat down to the tables, Mr. Ashman was quite able to act as Vice-President, both in eating soup and making speeches. After the 200 had eaten about 150 gallons of soup, a beautiful nosegay, composed of radishes and turnips, was presented to Chris. Johnson as the champion ester. After he had finished his twenty-fifth plate he turned to his near neighbor, Capt. Sloat, and remarked: "Tm getting old, Jack; I can't sit at the table more'n an hour or so now without losing my appotite."

A letter from Frederick A. Bidabock expressed regrets this inability to attend. After the big from pot had been drained, large brown bottles, whose corks popped loudly as they were drawn, were placed upon the table and their contents seemed to be relished as much as the turtle soun. Capt. Thos. Killelea was present, officially, to look after any gentleman who might allow his appetite to run away with his discretion. Mr. W. H. Humphrey sang a song, and Mr. Higgins from Springfield made a rousing speech. Wm. F. Pope, the actor, gave a recitation, and Mr. Phileman and B. S. Osborn sang comic sonss. Geo, S. Shultz, Martin H. Brown, Geo. C. Taylor, and 286 others set at the other tables until the gathering darkness reminded them that the club would not meet again until the first Thursday in June, 1881. They all arose, and the President Sang. Audi Lang Syne," and all joined in the chorus.

A CITY'S POVERTY.

A Meeting to Settle the Difficulties Between

Memphis and its Bondholders. BALTIMORE, Sept. 16 .- A meeting was held in this city to-day looking to a settlement of the Memphis, Tenn., and its bondholders. A committee from Memphis was present as follows: T. B. Turley, Chairman: J. R. Godwin, H. L. Brinkley, and R. B. Snowden. The committee was appointed by the Governor of Tennessee according to an act of the Legislature for the purpose of bringing about, if possible, an understanding between the city and its bondholders whereby the existing difficulties can be taken out of the courts and settled to the best advantage of both sides. The bonded debt of the city is nearly \$4,000,000, a large percentag

advantage of both sides. The bonded debt of the city is nearly \$4,000,000, a large percentage of which is held in Baltimore. The charter of Memphis has been abandoned, and that place consequently exists no longer as a city, and its citizens hold that they are not by law compelled to pay the debt. They wish to do it, however, but are unable to pay the whole of it, and hence the object of the committee to fix on a plan for scaling the indebtedness.

Besides the committee there were at Barnum's Dr. D. T. Porter, President of the Taxing District of Memphis: Dr. John Overton, Jr., member of the late city Government; Mr. F. S. Davis, President of the First National Bank, and Judge John M. Lea of Nashville, the latter acting as advisor to the committee. Among the bondholders and representatives of this city present at the conference to day were Robert Garrett & Sons. Wilson, Colston & Co., William T. Walters, Charles J. Baker, and others. Mr. Turley stated the object of the committee, as above, and said the citizens of Membhis were willing to be taxed to the highest reasonable rate, and pay off the bonds as well as they could, but that the city, through its recent great sfillctions, had been impoverished to such an extent as to be positively unable to pay the debt.

Mr. William T. Walters was finally selected to represent the Baltimore bondholders and to act in conjunction with representatives of bondholders of other cities in examining the assessment roils, tax lists, &c., of Memphis, and take such action as they might deem proper. The committee are satisfied with the result of the meeting, and will leave for New York this evening, to affect a similar arrangement with the bondholders of that city.

PERU UNDER PROTECTION.

Foreign Powers Forbidding an Invasion by the Chillan Army.

PANAMA, Sept. 7 .- The news from the south shows a gleam of peace, at least of an armistice, through foreign intervention. The well-informed Lima correspondent of the Star and Herald writes, under date of Aug. 21, that the Hon. J. P. Christiancy, Mr. Hayes's Minister, left that capital on Aug. 16, and sailed from Callao the same day in the United States steamer Wachusett for the south and adds: Although it is generally believed he has gone

steamer Wachusett for the south, and adds:

"Although it is generally believed he has gone to Santiago, the capital of Chill, my own opinion is that he has gone no further than Arica, there to meet some high personage from Chill, and probably the bearer of important despatches from the White House."

On the following day there was a meeting of the French, Enzlish, and Italian Ministers in the palace here, which seems to have ended by the despatching on the 19th of the French manof-war Hussard to Arica with documents, the contents of which has not transpired. The same correspondent says: "Chill has met with a check where apparently she least expected it, and from a quarter she neither dare nor can despise," and intimates that England, France, and Italy have interfered. He continues: "The European, or rather the foreign property in Lima and Callao, including, perhaps, some sugar plantations on the coast, is estimated at the value of £40,000,000, and the invader has been notified that until she guarantees that she will respect the property and persons of neutrals she must not dream of entering Lima, or even of attempting to do so." The boasted "march on Lima" of the Chilians may therefore for the present be regarded without terror.

Berry, the American, accused of being a Chilian spy, is now being tried by a court martial in Lima. He has been in prison several months. Garcia Maldonado, the late Treasurer of the Lima Municipality, is also being tried by court martial for very extensive frauds. court martial for very extensive frauds.

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John W. Sainbern by the Democrats of the First New Hampshire Histrict.

E. A. Treatway, J. H. W. Onion, Samuel W. Pierce. Oliver Brank, and Nathaniel Gener by the Greenback Labor party of the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Maryland Districts.

Z. C. Bowman by the Republicans of the Fifth Massachusetts Instrict. R. Percival by the Democrats of Eighth Iowa District. W. C. Si verthorn, by the Democrats of the Eighth Wisonsan District.
Thomas Burke of Scattle, nominated for delegate to impress by the Democrats of Wachington Terratory.

G. H. Bingham, by the Democrate of the Third New Lampshire District.

The Lexington Buccs. LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.-The following is a

ummary of the racing events here to-day. Handicap, mis heats: ontreat. Time, 1:44, 1:44. Seiting race. One and a quarter miles: One mile dante: Bettie F. Lucy May Mattie Walker.....Time, 1:435_a

What Happened in a Boat Condemned Ten Years Ago.

SOUTH AMBOY, Sept. 16 .- In the inquest in he case of Winters, the engineer of the tag White Fawn, who died from injuries suffered in the explosion in the

LIFE IN THE METROPOLIS.

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY THE

The Obelisk Safely Carried on Pontoons from Staten Island to an Up-town Pier-Prepara-tions for its Final Removal to Central Park.

The passengers by the ferryboat Middleown who arrived at Clifton landing, Staten Island, at about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon saw the obelisk on pontoons lying out in the bay a thousand vards from shore. A few minutes ater a line connecting the pontoons with the tugboat Manhattan was drawn taut. The tug swung the pontoons about, and the needle pointed toward New York. The revenue cutter Rescue, towing the tender and a raft of heavy timbers, followed the Manhattan. All the way up the harbor salutes were blown with the whistles of passing craft, and Commander Gorringe lifted his hat in response, while the Manhattan's whistle shricked hoarsely. The pier at the foot of Ninety-seventh street, North River, was reached without further incident. River, was reached without further incident, about two hours and a half from the time of the departure from Staten Island. An hour later, at half past 8 o'clock, the fifty people gathered at the dock saw the obelisk lying securely on the great timbers which had been arranged to receive it. The pontoons had been drawn up into a slip especially built for the purpose. The water was let into the pontoons, and as they were lowered into the stream the huge stone settled, with many creakings and groanings, of the timbers, into its place. The pontoons were then withdrawn, and the needle was left upon the bed pieces. The work of laying the track upon which the needle will be drawn to its site in Central Park will proceed without delay.

The Chief Clerk of the Richmond County Police Accused of Assault.

Col. George Hitchcock, Chief Clerk in the Richmond County Police Department, after having spent the night in a cell at Police Headquarters, in Stapleton, was yesterday arraigned before Justice McCullough on a charge of felonious assault upon an Italian organ grinder and his wife. It seems that the complainants missed the last boat to the city from Tompkinsville on Wednesday night, and, after wandering about for some time, they lay down on the stoop of Mr. Hitchcock's residence. They allegs that he attacked them with a club and beat them in a brutal manner, becouse they did not go away when told to do so. The couple presented themselves in court with their clothing stained with blood. The man's head was bandaged, and the woman bore marks of ill-usage. Mr. Hitchcock said that when he ordered them away from his premises they became abusive, and when he undertook to force them to go they attacked him. The violence he used on the man he thought was justified under the circumstances, and as to the woman, he believed that she suffered her injuries by falling into the gutter as he pushed her from the stoop. Neither of the complainants could speak English, and they stated their case to the court through an interpreter. about for some time, they lay down on the stoop interpreter.

Justice McCullough adjourned the case for further examination, and in the mean time released Mr. Hitchcock on his own recognizance.

An adjourned meeting of the National Asociation of Conservative Republicans and Independent Voters was held last evening at 31 West Twenty-fourth street, and the organization was completed. Leonard W. Jerome was elected President; the Hon. Hiram Barney, T.

B. Wakeman, Gen. Patrick H. Jones, A. B. Mullett, A. M. Trull, and others were elected Vice-Presidents, and Col. Henry H. Hadley was elected Secretary. A committee was appointed to prepare an address to the public explaining the principles and objects of the association, with the view of an early public meeting.

Mr. Jerome, being unavoidably absent, was communicated with, and he sent the following:

GENTLEMEN: I thank vou for the great henry you confer upon me by appointing me vour President. I assure you I am proud and happy to flud myself with Independent Republicans who have the sourage to stand up to their convictions and vote for the gentlemen who represent their views. I cordually accept the position you tender me, and beg you to accept my thanks.

(Signed) B. Wakeman, Gen. Patrick H. Jones, A. B. Mul-

German Veterans for Hancock.

A large number of Germans who served during the war under Gen. Hancock met at Steuben Hall on the Bowery, on Tuesday, and organized the "First Camp of the Second Regiment of German Hancock Veterans" by electing Capt. Charles Kinkel President, and Mr. Gimpel Secretary. Ten camps. comprising the First Regiment of German Hancock Veterans. have already been organized, with hearly 1,000 members, and it is expected that one or two other regiments, composed entirely of Germans, will be organized during the campaign. Forty-three veterans signed the roll last evening.

Looking for One Thing and Finding Others. Two weeks ago E. J. Bulkley, the actor, who is now playing in Niblo's Garden Theatre, missed his overcoat from his room in the Union Place Hotel. He reported his loss to the police, and Detectives Adams and Williamson learned that John Loftus, a porter in the ho-Williamson learned that John Loftus, a porter in the hotel, had been seen with the missing garment. The detectives also discovered that a closet in the basement occupied by Timothy Shechan, the hotel engineer, was
filled with blankets and other articles that had been
stolen from the different rooms of the hotel. Both Loftus
and Shechan were arrested, and in the house of the
former's sister, in Williamsburgh, other missing blankets
were discovered. Mrs. Ryan, widow of the former landlord, lost a box containing valuable papers and 570 is
money lately, but this has not been recovered. No trace
of Mr. Buikley's missing overcout has yet been found.

When the cricket match at Ardmore between he native American twelve of the Merion Club and the All Canada twelve ended on Wednesday, the score stood at 138 for the Merions and 50 for the Canadians, the lat-ter having three men to go to the bat, with eight runs to ter having three men to go to the bat, with eight runs to get to save following their inning. Play was resumed at Pig A. M. yesterday, and at that time the Canadians once more faced the bowing of Law and Lowrey. These towlers proved as fatal to the Canada wickets as they do not welcome and the Canada wickets as they do not welcome and the Canada wickets as they do not welcome and the Canada wickets as they do not be considered to the control of the Canada with the required Sr runs were not scored, and the Canadians had to follow their jumps, which they did. They managed in their second inning to run up a sufficient score to put the Americans in, and the latter eventually won with eight wickets to fail.

John Irving is a young married man, living in Greenpoint. Yesterday morning he was seen running through the street, closely pursued by his wife. This attracted a crowd that chased the couple's heels. Irving dedged into a police station and out again, followed by his enraged wite. It seems that I wing, who is employed in Coleman 2 Co. Stront foundry at 88 Noble street, was visited by his wife, and they quarrefled about money matters. He sisped her face several times, but finally sought refuge in flight. No arrests were made.

Theodore Tilton Abroad.

Theodore Tilton has made a pilgrimage to Ober-Ammergau to see the "Passion Play." His daugh ters, Fiorence and Alice, have finished their stories at Stutigart, and have gone to live a year in Paris. Mr. Til-ton's bectvations of men and things in Europe during his three tours abroad will enter largely into his new lecture, "The World's To-morrow."

Ragpickers Fighting Over Waste Paper.

Dominic Jacobini and Rose Padroni, Italian

rappickers, quarrelled over a waste paper box in Thompson street yesterday morning. Dominic ordered Rose oway, and when she refused to have best her over the neal with a poker. Dominic was arrested.

A Defaulter Disappears. HONESDALE, Pa., Sept. 16 .- William Smith of https://doi.org/10.1009/10.100

LONDON, Sept. 17 .- A despatch to the Standard from the massays the joint note to the Porte is very brief, it notices the Porte, that the combined flect will now take action in the Montenegrin matter.

Signal Office Prediction. For New England and the Middle States tightiv wormer, southerly to westerly winds, clear or ortly cloudy weather, local rains in the northern por-ions, stationary or slowly falling barometer during the

THIS MORNING'S LATEST NEWS.

Gov. Cornell and Senator James B. Book of Kentucky are at the Firth Avenue. Twenty-nine more bodies have been recovered from the Scalism pit, in England. Michael Brickley of Sol Cathorine street was stabled in the shoulder and back last evening by Michaele Gorgio, in Italian, in a stronken quarret at 62 New Bowery, Younds not dangerous.

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John Buckley, a barber, of To Roosevelt street, while talking with two acquaintoness last night in Cherry street, was accound by Johan Damat, who provoked a quarrel in which luckley was stabled in the treast, but not dangerously injured.